Community and Emergency Resources

North Central Texas - Dallas Region

Collin, Dallas, Denton, Ellis, Hunt, Kaufman, Navarro and Rockwall Counties

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NOTE: Organizations highlighted in RED have received funding from the Texas Veterans Commission Fund for Veterans' Assistance

Mental Health America of Greater Dallas

624 N. Good Latimer, Ste. 200, Dallas, TX 75204 214/871-2420 www.mhadallas.org

Area Served

Dallas, Denton, Collin, Rockwall, Kaufman, Hunt, Delta, Hopkins, Rains, Van Zandt, Ellis and Navarro Counties

Services Provided

The goal of Operation Healthy Reunions is to improve the lives of OEF and OIF service personnel, veterans and their families with referral mental health services through family and individual counseling for PTSD and TBI. Eligibility is based on OEF/OIF deployment.

Vets4Vets

www.vets4vets.us

Area Served

Hidalgo, Cameron, Willacy, Starr, Harris, Dallas, Tarrant, Wichita, Eastland

Services Provided

Peer Support program to help OEF/OIF veterans and their family members.

Homeless Veterans Services of Dallas

4504 Bronze Way, Dallas, TX 75236 877-424-3838 www.hvsd.org

Area Served

Dallas and surrounding counties

Services Provided

Services include:

- Providing assistance with obtaining identification cards and birth certificates;
- •Providing veterans who are moving into housing from the street or from a shelter with "move-in kits", and bus passes and other necessary materials to aid their search for work (Kits include towels, shower curtain, cooking utensils, flatware, can opener, toaster, and food storage containers.); and
- Providing items for veterans at the annual Stand Down event, including coats, cold weather gloves, toothbrushes/toothpaste, and personal hygiene kits.

Military Moms of Texas

512-470-3485 www.militarymomsoftexas.org

Area Served

Statewide with the largest number in Williamson, Travis, and the Dallas area

Services Provided

Military Moms of Texas provides a Veterans mentorship program as well as opportunities to volunteer in support of other Verterans and active duty military and their families. We have Operation Green Santa at Christmas for Veterans needs.

Dallas County Veterans Court

214-653-5300

Area Served

Dallas County

Services Provided

Divert veterans from jail and prison into community-based treatment.

Heroes on the Water

101-C N. Greenville Ave #55 Allen, TX 75002-2200 214-295-4541 www.HeroesOnTheWater.org

Area Served

Statewide.

Services Provided

Heroes on the Water (HOW) serves all military personnel who have been wounded, injured or disabled. What looks like a day trip of paddling and fishing for wounded vets is in fact something much deeper and long-lasting. The program provides basic kayak fishing instruction, angling clinics and paddling classes for participants with skill sets ranging from beginners to the most experienced paddlers.

MHMR of Tarrant County

3840 Hulen St., North Tower, Fort Worth, TX 76107 817/569-4452 www.mhmrtc.org



Tarrant County

Services Provided

Services available to veterans and their families, including hard to reach populations such as homeless and OEF/OIF veterans. Services include emergency financial assistance, transportation services, family and/or individual counseling for PTSD and TBI; employment training, education and job placement; housing assistance for homeless veterans; family and child services; and legal services.

Pastoral Counseling and Education Center

1517 W. McDermott Allen, TX 75013 214-526-4525 www.pcec-counseling.org

Area Served

Dallas Area and surrounding Communities.

Services Provided

The Pastoral Counseling and Education Center offers help with a caring staff of Credentialed Pastoral Counselors, Spiritual Directors, Licensed Professional Counselors, Licensed Marriage and Family Therapists, and Licensed Master Social Workers.

PCEC offers help with affordable fees. Our adjusted fee scale is based on income and family size. Please, bring the required documents (most recent IRS statement and two most recent pay check stubs) to verify eligibility for adjusted fee to your first appointment. Insurance may be applicable.

NISH, South Central Region

2401 E. Randol Mill Rd. Suite 200 Arlington, TX 76011 817-622-7029 817-401-9929 www.nish.org

Area Served

Dallas Area and large communities throughout Texas.

Services Provided

National nonprofit agency whose mission is to create employment opportunities for people with severe disabilities

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Hannah's Horseshoes of Hope

PO Box 574 Bonham, TX 75417 903-664-3062 www.hannahshorseshoesofhope.org

Area Served

North Dallas and surrounding area.

Services Provided

Hannah's Horseshoes of Hope therapeutic riding center serves children and adults with cognitive disabilities — which can be due to number of issues including Down Syndrome, autism, <u>traumatic brain injury</u> or ADD — people with physical or emotional needs, at-risk children and <u>returning veterans</u>. Hannah's offers a variety of programs — both on site and off — available to our clients.

The center is based near Bonham, Texas and serves the Red River/Texoma Region of North Texas and South-Eastern Oklahoma.

Camp C.O.P.E.

6119 Greenville Ave. #625 Dallas, TX 75206 214-991-2673 www.campcope.org

Area Served

Statewide; HQ in Dallas.

Services Provided

The children of deployed, injured and fallen heroes just may be the strongest and most forgotten heroes today. For some kids the adjustment to a deployed or injured parent can be difficult to understand and cope with. At Camp C.O.P.E. kids learn ways to deal with and cope with this difficult time in their life. Camp C.O.P.E. travels across the nation to different military installations, providing the camps at no cost to the families.

Soul's Harbor Homeless Shelter

13134 Nile Dr. Dallas, TX 75253-4522 214-596-8225 www.soulsharbordallas.org

Area Served

Dallas.

Services Provided

Soul's Harbor, Incorporated provides an in-residence <u>recovery program</u> with a focus on basic necessities. Each client (program participant) is provided with a clean and healthy living environment, good & plentiful food, work therapy, leisure time activities, group and individual counseling, spiritual direction, and resources to assist each person to develop life skills so that they may learn to "...deal with life on life's terms."

Consumer Credit Counseling Service

8737 King George Dr. Dallas, TX 75235 214-540-6816 www.cccs.net

Area Served

Dallas.

Services Provided

The mission of Consumer Credit Counseling Service of Greater Dallas, Inc. is to promote sound financial management among individuals and families. We accomplish this by providing expert financial counseling, comprehensive community education, professional debt management plans, and responsive customer service. CCCS believes sound financial management helps individuals and families prevent and resolve crises, while promoting a healthy economic environment.

Pate Rehabilitation

2655 Villa Creek, Ste 140 Dallas, TX 75234 972-241-9334 800-972-1149 www.paterehab.com

Area Served

Dallas, Irving and Anna.

Services Provided

Our Mission is to serve persons with brain injuries, their families, and the community at large. Pate Rehabilitation's treatment model focuses on reducing, to the greatest extent possible, the degree of the impact of the injury. This is

accomplished by helping the brain regain functions that have been weakened or lost and/or by helping the person compensate for functions that may have remained weakened for long periods of time.

North Star Mental Health

1201 Richardson, Ste 270, Richardson, TX, 75080 Phone 214-366-9407 Toll Free 877-653-6363 john.dornheim@hcahealthcare.com

http://www.ntbha.org/northstar.aspx#

Area Served

The NorthSTAR Service Delivery Area is comprised of Collin, Dallas, Ellis, Hunt, Kaufman, Navarro, and Rockwall Counties.

Services Provided

The NorthSTAR project is a public behavioral health (mental health and substance abuse treatment) managed care initiative in the North Texas Region. The North Texas Behavioral Health Authority (NTBHA) seeks to develop a collaborative system of care for individuals experiencing mental illness and/or a substance use disorder. Collaborative Responsibility is the belief that the public healthcare system, which serves a community, is the responsibility of that community.

United We Serve

509 Briaroaks Dr Lake Dallas, TX 75065 940-321-1883

http://www.serve.gov/index.asp

Area Served

Statewide

Services Provided

On Serve.gov you can search for volunteer opportunities, <u>connect with organizations that help veterans and military families</u>, <u>post your own service projects</u>, and more. There are numerous organizations associated with this initiative with services for Veterans.

The Salvation Army

5302 Harry Hines Blvd. Dallas, TX 75235 214-424-7247 denise_gallimore@uss.salvationarmy.org

www.salvationarmydallas.org

Area Served

Dallas area

Services Provided

Homeless shelter.

Wounded Warrior Regiment USMC

VA North Texas Health Care System Dallas VA Medical Center 4500 South Lancaster Road Dallas, TX 75216 972-880-0610 teresa.grandinetti@usmc.mil

http://www.woundedwarriorregiment.org/

Area Served

Dallas area

Services Provided

The Marine Corps Wounded Warrior Regiment provides and facilitates non-medical care to combat and non-combat Wounded, Ill, and Injured (WII) Marines, and Sailors attached to or in direct support of Marine units, and their family members in order to assist them as they return to duty or transition to civilian life.

There is no "one size fits all" response to warrior care. The WWR has evolved its structure to ensure that WII Marines and families receive individualized care, proportionate to their existing needs. The Regiment achieves this individualized care by synergizing its diverse assets and support around the essential point of focus: the mind, body, spirit, and family of the WII Marine.

National Organization on Disability

2904 Floyd Street Dallas, TX 75215 214-442-1610

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mark.ketcham@usa.net

www.nod.org

Area Served

Dallas area

Services Provided

The National Organization on Disability (NOD) researches, develops, and demonstrates creative approaches to disability employment issues. This work includes piloting innovative projects, providing consultation and technical assistance, designing programs, and performing research to better understand the issues underlying the employment gap for people with disabilities. NOD is committed to making each of our lines of work a leader by measuring progress and accounting for results.

We plan to pilot a demonstration program that provides free job training and employment for the Army's most severely wounded Iraq and Afghanistan veterans living in Dallas/Fort Worth.

America's Huey 091 Foundation

c/o Gay Lawson, 901 Main St, Ste 4400, Dallas, TX 75202 512-484-1537

www.huey091foundation.org

Area Served

Dallas area

Services Provided

Provide Seriously wounded and disabled Service members with mobility assistance devices including the iBOT Mobility System, Levo, etc.